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In re the Application of: **HAYASHI, Noriya**

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Examiner: **Robert E. Sellers**

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P.O. Box 1450
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August 19, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **May 28, 2004**, reconsideration of the rejections is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.